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In re Application of: Gadek et al.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

This document accompanies a Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 and is responsive to the Advisory Action mailed 20 December, 2005. It is further responsive to the Final Action mailed 21 September 2005 for which a three-month period for response was given. This request is timely filed with a Petition for a One Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the response period to 23 January 2006. In view of the discussion provided, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630.

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